

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RECEIVERS  
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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.47(a)  
ONE INVENTOR NOT AVAILABLE

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Attn.: Examiner Richard M. Ross  
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Dear Examiner Ross:

Applicants hereby present a Renewed Petition for the above-identified United States Patent Application. This Renewed Petition is provided in response to the Dismissal of the Petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) dated July 23, 2002 for which a request for reconsideration of the Decision is due on September 23, 2002, and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a one-month extension, ending 23 October 2002, is hereby requested.

Please charge the required fee of one hundred ten dollars (\$110.00) for extending the time for a response within the first month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

The Applicants submit that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing, this response is timely.

It is respectfully submitted that no additional fee for filing this Renewed Petition is due. However, if an additional fee is due, please charge the fee to Deposit Account 07-0832.

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner Ross for the courtesy extended in a telephone interview regarding this petition.

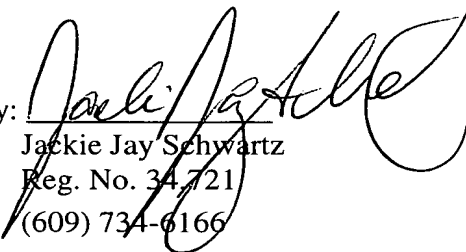
Upon receipt of the Decision dismissing the original Petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) for the above-referenced United States Patent Application, the Assignee once again attempted to reach Mr. Mehmet Kemal Ozkan. Mr. Ozkan is the only inventor who did not previously sign the Declaration for the subject application.

In this subsequent attempt to contact Mr. Ozkan, by both electronic mail and a Federal Express mailing of a Declaration for the subject patent application, the Assignee was successful. The Declaration mailed to Mr. Ozkan was a copy of the declaration previously signed by the other co-inventors, Ahmet Mursit Eskicioglu and Billy Wesley Beyers, Jr., with the space in which Mr. Ozkan is to sign left blank. Mr. Ozkan received the Federal Express mailing and subsequently executed the Declaration included therein for the subject application. Mr. Ozkan then returned the Declaration to the Assignee for filing with the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The executed Declaration is attached hereto. The Declaration executed by the other co-inventors of the subject application was filed with the Response to the Notice of Missing Parts included with the Petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed on 10 November 2000.

As Declarations executed by all named inventors have now been provided to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, it is respectfully submitted that all the filing requirements have been met and that the present application should now be Examined.

Should there be anything else required in order to meet the filing requirements of the United States Patent and Trademark Office and place this application in better form for examination, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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